

REMARKS

As set forth above, claims 1-11 have been cancelled in accordance with the suggestion of the Office and to expedite prosecution. The undersigned reserves the right to file and prosecute these claims in a continuing application. Claims 12-14 have been indicated by the Office to be allowable over the cited prior art and the undersigned respectfully awaits a notice to this effect in response hereto. Should the Examiner determine that any further action is necessary to place this application into better form, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned representative at the number listed below. In addition, if any additional fees are required in connection with the filing of this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the same to Deposit Account No. 501458.

Respectfully submitted,

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